

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Monzon  
Serial No.: 10/561,557  
Filed: 12/19/2005  
Examiner: Pico, Eric E.  
Group Art Unit: 3654  
Title: COMPACT BEDPLATE WITH INTEGRATED,  
ACCESSIBLE DEAD END HITCHES

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals the final rejection of July 2, 2008. Fees in the amount of \$540.00 are paid by credit card. If any additional fees are necessary, you are hereby authorized to charge the deposit account number 50-1482 in the name of Carlson, Gaskey & Olds.

Respectfully submitted,

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